

NAVIN THOMAS C  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
NAVIN THOMAS C

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
76 SOUTH MAIN STREET  
(Street)

AKRON, OH 44308

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/16/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount or Price			
Common Stock	05/16/2005		M		10,000 A \$ 29.5	10,686.671	D	
Common Stock	05/16/2005		S		10,000 D \$ 43.39	686.671	D	
Common Stock						3,562.9709	I	By Savings Plan
Common Stock						21.741	I	By Laura Loshing Navin (wife)

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.5	05/16/2005		M	10,000 (1)	05/16/2005(1)	05/16/2011	Common Stock	10
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.71					03/01/2004	03/01/2013	Common Stock	9
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 34.45					04/01/2003	04/01/2012	Common Stock	12
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 38.76					03/01/2005	03/01/2014	Common Stock	10
Phantom / Retirement	\$ 1					(2)	(3)	Common Stock	2,1
Phantom 3/03D	\$ 1					03/01/2003	03/01/2006	Common Stock	3,6
Phantom 3/05D	\$ 1					02/25/2005	03/01/2008	Common Stock	1,1
RSUP1	\$ 1					03/01/2008	03/01/2008	Common Stock	1
RSUD2	\$ 1					03/01/2010	03/01/2010	Common Stock	

